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History and Final Disposition

LD 974 / SP0315

An Act To Prohibit the Use of Workers' Compensation Trust Funds for Political Contributions. Presented by Senator HATCH of Somerset; Cosponsored by Representative HATCH of Skowhegan and Senators: BROMLEY of Cumberland, CATHCART of Penobscot, DAGGETT of Kennebec, DAMON of Hancock, DOUGLASS of Androscoggin, EDMONDS of Cumberland, GAGNON of Kennebec, HALL of Lincoln, MARTIN of Aroostook, PENDLETON of Cumberland, ROTUNDO of Androscoggin, STANLEY of Penobscot, STRIMLING of Cumberland, TREAT of Kennebec, Representatives: ADAMS of Portland, BULL of Freeport, BUNKER of Kossuth Township, CANAVAN of Waterville, COWGER of Hallowell, CUMMINGS of Portland, DUDLEY of Portland, DUPLESSIE of Westbrook, FAIRCLOTH of Bangor, GAGNE-FRIEL of Buckfield, GROSE of Woolwich, HUTTON of Bowdoinham, KETTERER of Madison, KOFFMAN of Bar Harbor, LAVERRIERE-BOUCHER of Biddeford, LERMAN of Augusta, LUNDEEN of Mars Hill, McGLOCKLIN of Embden, McKEE of Wayne, MILLS of Farmington, NORBERT of Portland, O'NEIL of Saco, PARADIS of Frenchville, PATRICK of Rumford, PINEAU of Jay, RICHARDSON of Brunswick, RINES of Wiscasset, SIMPSON of Auburn, SMITH of Monmouth, SMITH of Van Buren, THOMAS of Orono, THOMPSON of China, TWOMEY of Biddeford. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Labor. Public Hearing 04/03/03. Majority (OTP-AM) Accepted 05/27/03. Amended by: CA S-161, SA S-213. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 06/05/03, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 424.

Original Bill

[LD 974 \(121st Legis. 2003\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law

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Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Labor

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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(S-161\) \(LD 974 2003\) \(Majority\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment SA/CA \(S-213\) \(LD 974 2003\) \(Passed\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[SENATE, February 25, 2003 \(S170-185\)](#)

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[SENATE, February 26, 2003 \(S186-195\)](#)

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[HOUSE, March 4, 2003 \(H198-211\)](#)

- p. H-198

[SENATE, May 16, 2003 \(S670-682\)](#)

- p. S-675 (Amendment(s) S-161)

[SENATE, May 22, 2003 \(S743-778\)](#)

- p. S-757 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p 760 (2))) (Amendment(s) S-161, S-213 (p 760))

[HOUSE, May 23, 2003 \(H757-776\)](#)

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[HOUSE, May 27, 2003 \(H777-816\)](#)

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[HOUSE, May 28, 2003 \(H817-843\)](#)

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[HOUSE, May 29, 2003 \(H844-859\)](#)

- p. H-851 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) S-161, S-213)

[SENATE, May 29, 2003 \(S856-892\)](#)

- p. S-875 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) S-161, S-213)

Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2003, c. 424](#)

News Articles

Bill wants to bar political use of workers' comp funds (Adams, Glenn) (Portland Press Herald, 4/10/2003) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation:
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